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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/510,969	
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP03/04007	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE April 16, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED April 17, 2002	
TITLE OF INVENTION METHODS TO PREDICT PATIENT RESPONSIVENESS TO TYROSINE KINASE INHIBITORS			
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US DRESSMAN, ET AL.			

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1. This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2. This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4. A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. has been transmitted by the International Bureau. (See Form PCT/IB/308)
 - c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
 - a. are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. have not been made and will not be made.
8. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
9. An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (original or copy) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 16. below concern document(s) or information included.

11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
 A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.
14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
15. A substitute specification.
16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.
18. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
19. A second copy of the English language translation of the International application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20. Other items or information:

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21. Basic national fee. \$ 22. Examination Fee If International preliminary examination report was prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$ All other situations. \$ 23. Search fee If Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority. \$ If International Search Report was prepared and provided to the Office. \$ All other situations. \$ TOTAL OF 21, 22 AND 23 = \$ Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$ for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof. <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Total Sheets</td> <td>Extra sheets</td> <td>Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number)</td> <td>RATE</td> </tr> <tr> <td>- 100 =</td> <td>/50 =</td> <td></td> <td>X \$</td> </tr> </table> Surcharge of \$130 for furnishing the oath of declaration later than <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). \$ 130 <table border="1"> <tr> <td>CLAIMS</td> <td>NUMBER FILED</td> <td>NUMBER EXTRA</td> <td>RATE</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total claims</td> <td>- 20 =</td> <td>X \$</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Independent claims</td> <td>- 3 =</td> <td>X \$</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> <tr> <td>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)</td> <td></td> <td>+ \$</td> <td>\$</td> </tr> </table> TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS = \$ Reduction of 1/2 for filing by small entity, if applicable. Verified Small Entity Statement must also be filed (Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). \$ SUBTOTAL = \$ 130 Processing fee of \$ for furnishing the English translation later than <input type="checkbox"/> 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). + \$ TOTAL NATIONAL FEE = \$ 130 Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$ per property + \$ TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED = \$ 130 03/07/2005 LLANDGRA 00000023 190134 10510969 01 C:1617 130.00 DA a. <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees is enclosed. b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0134 in the name of Novartis in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed. c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0134 in the name of Novartis. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status. Send all correspondence to the address associated with Customer No. 001095, which is currently: Novartis Corporate Intellectual Property One Health Plaza, Building 104 East Hanover, NJ 07936-1080 Dated: March 22, 2005 John T. Prince Attorney for Applicants Reg. No. 43,019 (617) 871-3346			Total Sheets	Extra sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number)	RATE	- 100 =	/50 =		X \$	CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	Total claims	- 20 =	X \$	\$	Independent claims	- 3 =	X \$	\$	MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)		+ \$
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/12/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/12/2004
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/12/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/12/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/12/2004
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 10/12/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/12/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 10/12/2004



The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- \$130 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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